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Documents considered to be relevant:

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| A | | WO 02/48177 A (DELTA-DOT LTD.) - see figure 7 and page 12 paragraph 2. |
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